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Sir:

<u>AMENDMENT</u>

In response to the Official Action mailed August 8, 2002, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please substitute the following amended claims for corresponding claims previously presented. A copy of the amended claims showing the requested revisions is attached.

1 (Twice amended). A compound of formula I,